

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 852

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A RESOLUTION to honor the Waynesboro Middle School Wildcats on winning the James C. Haile State Tournament.

WHEREAS, we take great pleasure in paying tribute to a stellar group of student athletes who attained many firsts this basketball season through teamwork and a competitive spirit; and

WHEREAS, the Waynesboro Middle School Wildcats boys' basketball team recently won the James C. Haile State Tournament in Murfreesboro, capping off an exemplary season for the team, which also won the Wayne County tournament and claimed the regular season championship; and

WHEREAS, finishing the season with an overall record of 15-6, Waynesboro defeated Thurman Francis and Livingston to advance to the final game against the South Fentress Buffalos; the Wildcats made a three-point shot at the buzzer in overtime to claim the championship laurels; and

WHEREAS, embracing the pressure of playing in the showcase event in Tennessee elementary school basketball, the Wildcats prevailed to bring the trophy home to Waynesboro; and

WHEREAS, in addition to their state tournament trophy, a number of Wildcats won additional accolades, as Cayman Camfield, Warren Camfield, and Logan Davis were named to the All-County team, and Cayman Camfield, Logan Davis, and Case Butler were named to the All-State Tournament team; and

WHEREAS, the following players and managers were proud to represent Waynesboro on the hardwood this season: Cayman Camfield, Warren Camfield, Logan Davis, Brady Stooksberry, David Ullman, Knox Polk, Nate Bevis, Case Butler, Brayson Harris, Daylan



VanFleet, Kace Bryant, Hudson Floyd, Jacan Floyd, Barrett Gallian, Graeme Polk, Jason Skelton, Lawson Stegall, Weston Todd, and Bentley Littleton; and

WHEREAS, the Wildcats' astounding success and championship season are directly attributable to the leadership and expertise of their head coach, Michael Camfield, and assistant coaches, Chris Skelton and Tanner Andrews; and

WHEREAS, the Waynesboro Middle School Wildcats have distinguished themselves as an excellent team with even greater promise, and these young men are richly deserving of our approbation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor the Waynesboro Middle School Wildcats on winning the James C. Haile State Tournament and extend to the coach and players our best wishes for much continued success next season.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.